

Missouri State Library

Show Me *Express*

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Show Me Express features time-sensitive information about State Library programs and current news of interest to the Missouri library community.

2009 Public Library Statistical Report DUE IN 2 DAYS!

Kudos to all who have submitted their library's Fiscal Year 2009 Public Library Statistical Report. For public libraries still entering their data, please note the **submission deadline is this Thursday, December 31**. Direct all questions, as well as other related inquiries, ASAP to Katina Jones, Statistical Research Analyst, at katina.jones@sos.mo.gov or 800-325-0131 ext. 12.

Short-term grant applications due 1/15: Get it in the mail!

NOW is the time to submit your completed *Excellence in Library Service, Programs for Targeted Populations, Spanish That Works* and/or *Technology Mini-Grant* project proposal. Ensure timely delivery of your application packet for a chance at those highly desirable LSTA grant dollars. Questions? Contact [Debbie Musselman](#).

NOTE this info re: Institute & TSR workshop registration

Online registration is currently open for both the upcoming library skills Winter Institute and Teen Summer Reading workshops, but **registration will be temporarily unavailable Tues., Jan. 5 from 9:30 – 11:00 AM for a database update.**

Winter Institute is scheduled for Tues., Feb. 16 through Thurs. Feb. 18 at the Holiday Inn Select Executive Center in Columbia. Registration will close January 14, 2010. Course selections include the two advanced sessions *Developing Strong Community Library Service* and *Young Adult Services*, plus the standard *Basic Library Skills* course for library staff without an advanced degree in library science, who wish to learn librarianship fundamentals or upgrade their skill level. [Click here to register](#) for your selected course. Questions may be directed to either Marge Kudrna at 800-325-0131 ext. 17, marge.kudrna@sos.mo.gov, or Ann Roberts at 800-325-0131 ext. 5, ann.roberts@sos.mo.gov.

The **Teen Summer Reading workshops**, "Make Waves @ Your Library," which are free and open to Missouri public and school library personnel serving teens, will be presented the last week of February 2010. **Fri., Jan. 29 is the last day to register** to attend one of these regional sessions. [Click here for Web-linked registration information plus a complete list of dates and locations.](#) If you have questions, contact

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